



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **ONO, Akiko, et al.**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **March 26, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below:

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